

CAREER OPPORTUNITY

Radio Maintainer

LOCATION: Various REFERENCE: 88581 APPLICATION DEADLINE:

January 31, 2017

Metro-North Railroad reserves the right to remove this posting prior to the Application Deadline.

OPENING

MTA Metro-North Railroad is a dynamic organization, operating out of the jewel of New York City, Grand Central Terminal. We provide service to over 82 million customers annually, traveling in and out of New York and Connecticut. A subsidiary of the Metropolitan Transportation Authority, Metro-North Railroad is the busiest commuter railroad in the nation. MTA Metro-North Railroad strives to provide a safe commute, great service to its customers and rewarding opportunities to its employees.

RESPONSIBILITIES

Radio Maintainers install, repair, troubleshoot and maintain the following systems: Communications equipment (base & mobile), Public Address Systems, Cellular Telephones and Fire and Burglar Alarm Systems.

In addition they perform periodic inspections according to Metro-North regulations and complete required paperwork.

QUALIFICATIONS

Applicants must possess prior experience in the above job duties, as well as read prints and use test equipment, have a knowledge of electrical laws and possess good oral and written communication skills.

High School Diploma, General Equivalency Diploma (GED) or Test Assessing Secondary Completion (TASC) required.

Must possess an FCC General Radio Operators License (GROL).

Must be available to work 24 hours and 7 days a week.

Must have a valid driver's license.

RATE OF PAY

The starting rate of 65% for this position is equivalent to \$23.15. The wage progression scale is as follows: 65>70>75>80>92>100%. The full rate of pay is \$35.62/hour.

This salary is non-negotiable, based on the IBEW Collective Bargaining Agreement.

An exception may be granted for a journeyman rate to anyone who has one of the following:

- 1. Has completed a four-year, bona fide electrical apprenticeship program
- Has had four years of full-time practical experience as an electrician, and can provide proof thereof (by means of a card or certificate)
- 3. Has graduated from a four-year college or university with a degree in electrical engineering, and has completed two years of bona fide full-time electrical apprenticeship program or has had two years of practical experience as an electrician.

For those approved for a journeyman rate, the wage progression scale is as follows: 80>85>100% of the full rate of pay.

SENIORITY

Applicants will establish seniority in the Brotherhood of Electrical Workers Union (IBEW), the union representing Radio Maintainers, in accordance with the current collective bargaining agreement.

Members of IBEW are subject to an initiation fee and monthly union dues.

ASSIGNMENTS

Must have the ability to work various hours, days, shifts and locations (Stamford and New Haven, CT; Croton Harmon, North White Plains, Brewster, NY; and Grand Central Terminal).

SELECTION CRITERIA

To be selected for a position, an applicant must: (1) meet the minimum requirements in the job posting, (2) pass a written examination (if applicable), (3) satisfy a background investigation (which includes credit, if applicable), and (4) pass an oral interview, during which the interviewers will further evaluate the applicant's qualifications for the position. Because the selection process is competitive, not all qualified applicants are granted an interview. Metro-North may also require the applicant to undergo a physical ability test, and, if the Company extends a conditional offer, may require him or her to undergo a medical examination, which may include toxicological testing.

For applicants who are current employees, you must be in active service and have worked in your present position for at least one (1) year to be eligible to apply for a posted position, and have completed the agreed upon formal training commitment, plus on-the-job training, if applicable (for example: Signal Trainee, Foreman-In-Training, etc.) in order to be eligible to transfer. If you are transferred, you may be required to forfeit your seniority in your present occupation. In addition, Metro-North employees are subjected to an internal investigation, which includes an evaluation of their safety and discipline records and their performance assessments.

As an employee of Metro-North Railroad you may be required to complete a New York State financial disclosure statement, if you earn more than \$91,821.00 or if you hold a position designated as a policy maker.

We offer a competitive salary and a comprehensive benefits package. If interested, please apply online at www.mta.info

OTHER INFORMATION

This position is safety sensitive and requires a toxicology exam.

Physical Activities of this position include, but are not limited to the following:

Must be able to lift and carry tools and material weighing up to 50 pounds on a regular basis and occasionally up to 75 pounds.

Working Conditions of this position include, but are not limited to the following:

Works outside exposed to various weather conditions.

Works at heights up to 50 feet; occasionally up to 200 feet.

HOW TO APPLY

Qualified applicants can submit an online application by clicking on the 'APPLY NOW' button from either the CAREERS page or from the JOB DESCRIPTION page.

If you have previously applied on line for other positions, enter your User Name and Password. If it is your first registration, click on the CLICK HERE TO REGISTER hyperlink and enter a User Name and Password; then click on the REGISTER button.

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